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(As Amended By Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

**"AN ACT CONCERNING NOMINATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF
HOMELAND SECURITY DIRECTOR AND THE DEPARTMENT OF
HOMELAND SECURITY."**

1 Strike subsection (b) of section 13 and substitute the following in
2 lieu thereof:

3 "(b) With reasonable conformance to applicable federal statutes and
4 administrative regulations of the Federal Emergency Management
5 Agency and the requirements of the Connecticut emergency
6 operations plan, the commissioner shall organize the department and
7 the personnel of the department as may be necessary for the effective
8 discharge of the authorized emergency management, civil
9 preparedness and homeland security missions, including, but not
10 limited to, the provisions of the Connecticut emergency operations

11 plan and the national plan for civil preparedness. Any department
12 personnel may be removed by the commissioner for security reasons
13 or for incompetence, subject to reinstatement by the Employees'
14 Review Board. The commissioner may enter into contracts for the
15 furnishing by any person or agency, public or private, of services
16 necessary for the proper execution of the duties of the department.
17 Any such contract that has a cost of three thousand dollars or more
18 shall be subject to the approval of the Attorney General, except in the
19 event of a national emergency declared by the President of the United
20 States."